

## Appointment

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**Subject:** Risk Assessment Discussion with Earthjustice and NRDC  
**Location:** DCRoomRRB41107-1 and DCRoomRRB41107-2; call-in: Teleconference Line / Ex. 6  
**Start:** 6/29/2016 7:30:00 PM  
**End:** 6/29/2016 8:30:00 PM  
**Show Time As:** Busy

### Agenda:

Introductions – Tom Sinks – 5 Minutes

Health risk assessments for toxic chemical exposure – NRDC/EarthJustice: TBD – 40 Minutes

- Context for this meeting
- Examples of key concerns regarding EPA risk assessments
- Risk assessment decisions in progress for scientific engagement and direction
- Updates needed to EPA risk assessment guidance and policy

Q&A and next steps – Tom Sinks – 10 Minutes

Closing remarks – Toms Sinks/NRDC/EarthJustice – 5 Minutes

### Earthjustice participants:

- Emma Cheuse
- Eve Gartner

### Natural Resources Defense Council:

- Veena Singla
- Daniel Rosenberg

- Miriam Rotkin-Ellman

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**Subject:** Request for a meeting on risk assessment

Dear Dr. Burke,

I'm writing to request a meeting to discuss your Office's work on health risk assessment.

Together with other environmental and community group partners and scientists, Earthjustice and Natural Resources Defense Council have been following EPA's work on this important issue in recent years. For example, we submitted comments to the Office of the Science Advisor on the Request for Information and Citations on Methods for Cumulative Risk Assessment (2013) and on the Draft Guidelines for Human Exposure Assessment (2016).

As you consider next steps, we would like the opportunity to highlight particular matters for your attention.

We would be grateful for the chance to meet at your earliest convenience, if possible on Wednesday June 15 to allow an NRDC scientist to join us in person. So that I may coordinate schedules, you may reach me at (202) 745-5220 or [echeuse@earthjustice.org](mailto:echeuse@earthjustice.org).

Thank you for your attention and time on this important matter. We look forward to speaking with you soon.

Sincerely yours,

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Eve Gartner  
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